## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:		
Bernd Buchberger, et al.	)	
Serial No.: 10/597,530	) Art Unit: <b>1793</b>	
Confirm. No.: 2358	)	
	Primary Examiner:	
Filed: <b>July 28, 2006</b>	) Karl E. Group	p
	)	
For: Fired Refractory Ceramic	)	
Product And a Batch for the	)	
Production Thereof	)	

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 17, 2008, kindly amend the above Application, without prejudice, as follows: